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CONTINENTS HOTELS, INC.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MARK WISE, individually, and on behalf of other
members of the general public similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

v.

INTERCONTINENTAL HOTELS GROUP
RESOURCES, LLC, a Delaware limited liability
company; IHG MANAGEMENT (MARYLAND)
LLC, a Maryland limited liability company;
INTERCONTINENTAL HOTELS OF SAN
FRANCISCO, INC., a Delaware corporation; SIX
CONTINENTS HOTELS, INC., a Delaware
corporation; and DOES 1 through 100, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:24-cv-01161-AMO

Honorable Araceli Martinez-Olguin

**JOINT STIPULATION FOR
ADMINISTRATIVE RELIEF FOR
REMOTE APPEARANCE**

[Removed From San Francisco County
Superior Court Case No. CGC-23-611350]

Date: October 3, 2024

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Ctrm: 10

Judge: Hon. Araceli Martinez-Olguin

Complaint Filed: December 29, 2023

Trial Date: None Set

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1 **STIPULATION**

2 Pursuant to the Court's Standing Order § C.2. and Civil Local Rule 7-11, Plaintiff Mark Wise
3 ("Plaintiff") and Defendants InterContinental Hotels Group Resources, LLC, IHG Management
4 (Maryland) LLC, Intercontinental Hotels of San Francisco, Inc., and Six Continents Hotels, Inc.
5 ("Defendants") (referred to collectively as the "Parties"), through their attorneys of record, hereby agree
6 and stipulate as follows:

7 **RECITALS**

8 **WHEREAS**, on December 29, 2023, Plaintiff filed a wage and hour Class Action Complaint in
9 the Superior Court of California for the County of San Francisco, entitled "*MARK WISE v.*
10 *INTERCONTINENTAL HOTELS GROUP RESOURCES, LLC, et al.*," Case No. CGC-23-611350;

11 **WHEREAS**, on February 23, 2024, Defendants filed their answer to Plaintiff's Class Action
12 Complaint;

13 **WHEREAS**, on February 26, 2024, Defendants filed their Notice of Removal and removed the
14 case to this Court;

15 **WHEREAS**, on March 7, 2024, this Court set the Initial Case Management Conference for
16 June 20, 2024;

17 **WHEREAS**, on June 20, 2024, Defendants filed their Motion to Stay Proceedings;

18 **WHEREAS**, on September 4, 2024, this Court rescheduled the Initial Case Management
19 Conference to October 3, 2024, the same day as the hearing on Defendants' Motion to Stay Proceedings;

20 **WHEREAS**, counsel for Plaintiff, Aequitas Legal Group, is located in Pasadena, California, and
21 lead counsel for Defendants, Leo Q. Li of Seyfarth Shaw, is located in Los Angeles, California; and

22 **WHEREAS**, the Parties agree that appearing remotely at the case management conference and
23 hearing would result in a significant savings of time and resources, as counsel would otherwise need to
24 travel to San Francisco for an in-person appearance.

25 **NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS STIPULATED AND AGREED** by the Parties that the Parties,
26 through their respective counsel, will attend the hearing on Defendants' Motion to Stay Proceedings and
27 the Initial Case Management Conference on October 3, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. via remote appearance.
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1 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

2 DATED: September 26, 2024

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3 By: /s/ Leo Q. Li

4 Leo Q. Li
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7 Yoon-Woo Nam
8 Attorneys for Defendants

9 DATED: September 26, 2024

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